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SUBJECT: EXCHANGE OF LETTERS ON POLICY PLANNING TALKS

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1. THE APPROVED TEXT OF THE SECRETARY'S LETTER TO FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA WAS DELIVERED THIS MORNING, NOV 21. IN A NOV 20 CONVERSATION, BASED ON STATE 254631, 255240 AND 255672, SILVEIRA HAD SAID TO ME THAT, ON HIS RETURN FROM QUITO, HE HAD TALKED TO PRESIDENT GEISEL ABOUT THE POLICY PLANNING TALKS AND THEY HAD DECIDED THAT SOME ADDRESS TO THE BILATERAL RELATIONSHIP WOULD MAKE THE CONSULTATIONS "MORE REALISTIC" FOR THE BRAZILIAN SIDE, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF THE RELATIVELY "UNDERDEVELOPED" STATE OF BRAZILIAN POLICY PLANNING.

2. IN HIS REMARKS TO THE VISITING POLICY PLANNERS TODAY, SILVEIRA EXPANDED SOMEWHAT ON THIS POINT, SAYING THAT THE "INTELLECTUAL" DISCUSSIONS ENVISAGED IN THE ORIGINAL FORMAT WERE CERTAINLY USEFUL, BUT THEIR REAL VALUE FOR BRAZIL LAY IN THEIR ADDRESS TO THE BILATERAL RELATIONSHIP. HE ALSO REMARKED RATHER POINTEDLY THAT IT WAS OBVIOUS THAT THE US EFFORT TO INVOLVE THE LATIN AMERICANS IN DISCUSSIONS OF GLOBAL ISSUES WAS INTENDED TO FLATTER THEM.

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